



Catholic Parish of Warringah

Diocese of Broken Bay, NSW— Scalabrinian Fathers

St Kevin's Church
50 Oaks Ave, Dee Why,
2099, N.S.W.

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2099, N.S.W.

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26th October 2025 : — 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time : Year C

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St Kevin's Church

Weekday Masses:

Mon-Sat: 8:30am (Holy Rosary 8am) , Friday
12 Noon

Week-end Mass Times

Saturday Vigil: 6pm

Sunday: 8am; 9.15am, 10.30am (in Italian);
6pm

Filipino Mass: 1st Sunday of the month

4pm & 3rd Sunday of the Month 11.45am -
in Tagalog

Mass in Spanish : 1st & 3rd Saturday at 4pm

Brazilian Mass : 2nd & Last Saturday at 4pm.

Every 4th Sunday:

Chaplaincy Youth Mass at 6.00 pm

Reconciliation: Saturday: 9am

Cenacle of Prayer:

Wednesday after the 8.30am Mass

Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

First Fridays of the month: 7pm Mass

Eucharistic Adoration:

Fridays after 8.30am Mass till 11.45am

Legion of Mary: Every Thursday at 11am

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena:

Every Wednesday at 7.00pm except 1st
Wednesday (Novena Mass is every 1st
Wednesday at 7pm)

St John the Apostle Church

Weekday Masses: Tuesday—Saturday:

9.30am (Holy Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet
9.00am)

Week-end Mass Times

Saturday Vigil: 5pm

Sunday: 8am & 9.30am (Holy Rosary & Di-
vine Mercy Chaplet 9.00am)

Reconciliation: Saturday: following the
9.30am Mass

Eucharistic Adoration: Monday 7pm–8pm

1st Saturday 8:45am: Devotion &
Consecration to the Immaculate Heart of
Mary (prayers for Souls in Purgatory)



In the Mass today, the penitential rite is a great opportunity to stand in that place of humility with the tax-collector. The penitential rite is a great equaliser and reality-check; we can all recognise aspects of ourselves that are rough or broken. We come to receive Jesus' gift of himself in Communion not because we are perfect, but because we are in need of him. He wants to feed and nourish us because we are hungry and thirsty. If we come to him full of ourselves, we may not appreciate this gift and we may leave unchanged. So let us be open to God's mercy and healing today.

'The Lord hears the cry of the poor'.

Mass Intentions for the Week

St. John's, Narraweena :

Saturday	5.00pm	25	Recently deceased Jeannette Valence
Sunday	8.00am	26	
	9.30am		Dec Antonuzza Nesci (1mth), Margaret Harrington (22nd Anniv), Bill Harrington (6 months anniv)
Tuesday	9.30am	28	
Sts Simon & Jude			
Wednesday	9.30am	29	
Thursday	9.30am	30	
Friday	9.30am	31	
Saturday	9.30am	1	
All Saints Day			

St. Kevin's, Dee Why :

Saturday	6pm	25	
Sunday	8.00am	26	Dec Antonio Romeo, Edna McCouat
	9.15am		Dec Edna McCouat
	10.30am		Dec Domenico Calabria (13th Anniv), Domenico Biviano
	6.00pm		Dec Merica Tulich (6th Anniv), Edna McCouat
Monday	8.30am	27	Special Intentions Fr Savino (Birthday)
Tuesday	8.30am	28	
Sts Simon & Jude			
Wednesday	8.30 am	29	Dec Maria & Giuseppe Mesiti
Thursday	8.30am	30	
Friday	8.30am	31	
	12 Noon		
Saturday	8.30am	1	
All Saint's Day			

All Souls' Day

November 2nd

A memorial service will be held at Frenchs Forest Cemetery on Sunday, 2 November . The schedule for the day is as follows:

- Rosary at 1:00pm
- Mass at 1:30pm

-Blessing of family crypts following the Mass.

Sponsored by Gregory & Carr Funeral Directors



November Mass List 2025.

Our November Mass List is now open. Please write your deceased family names clearly on your envelopes, for inclusion in this year's list of names.

Thank you for your assistance



Rosters Next Week: All Souls' Day

St Kevin's Cleaning Team : A



The next Baptism Workshop will take place on Wednesday 12th November at 7pm. Please email the office on warringahparish@bbcatholic.org.au for more information and to book a place.

Catholic Mission Appeal

This weekend we will hold our Annual Catholic Mission Appeal. Envelopes are available in both churches. Thank you for your contribution to this worthy appeal.

COME & JOIN THE FUN
Catholic Parish of Warringah Fundraiser 2025

Christmas Lucky Number Draw

\$20
EACH



\$20
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Try your luck

1 x Winner @ St. Kevin's \$1000 (Ticket 001 – 500)

1 x Winner @ St. John's \$1000 (Ticket 501 – 1000)

Winners will be drawn on 23rd December 2025

For T&Cs or inquiries, please contact
Gerard Haddrick
0415 035 022

Thank you for supporting the Catholic Parish of Warringah
and helping make this Christmas season special!

Terms and Conditions: Cost of each number in the competition is \$20. You may purchase more than one number. Participants to be age 16 or above. Cash and stubs collected can be handed into the Parish Office or placed in the plate clearly marked for the fundraiser. Monies raised will be used to support the activities and expenses of the parish. There are two draws consisting of 500 numbers in each draw. Numbers 1 to 500 will be named St Kevin's and numbers 501 to 1,000 will be St John's. Each draw will have one winner of \$1,000 with no minor prizes. Both draws will be sold concurrently. Participants can buy a number in both draws. Winners do not need to be parishioners or Catholic. Any disputes or anomalies will be resolved at the discretion of the Parish Priest. Sellers and assistants may enter the draw with the exception of Gerard Haddrick as the lead organiser. Any concerns or questions should initially be directed to Gerard Mob: 0415035022 or the parish office phone 99826536

PARISH NEWS/EVENTS

Pastoral Discernment Project – Northern Beaches

The Northern Beaches Project Summary Report, which highlights the key insights gathered from the local listening and dialogue consultation forums, is now available for the Northern Beaches Deanery as a downloadable PDF booklet. Access your copy at [Project Summary Report - Catholic Diocese of Broken Bay](#)



FEDERAZIONE CATTOLICA ITALIANA

Il minibus per il ritiro spirituale Mercoledì prossimo, 29 Ottobre, partirà dal CROMER COMMUNITY CENTRE, Fisher Rd Cromer puntualmente alle 8 del mattino.

Our State Schools in 2026

Catechists/Special Religious Educators (SRE) are being asked to teach 27 classes in 4 primary schools and Manly Selective High for our parish.



Do we have enough volunteers?

No, we need more teachers both in the primary and secondary schools.

What's the commitment per class?

About 40 mins at the school plus preparation time over school terms. Maybe you would like to assist as a helper for a term or so to find out more.

Can you take time off during term if needed?

Yes – holidays and time off both are part of SRE.

What days are the lessons?

Tuesday or Thursday afternoons, Wed. morning

Student textbooks? Yes - & teaching manual + USB containing all the lessons, pictures & songs.

Training? 8 x 2hr sessions online or face to face over one year. Time in class with another catechist.

Working with children check compulsory?

Of course, but online application is easy.

How many parishioners are in this ministry?

Supportive, dedicated, loving, and busy just like you, we have about 20 dedicated catechists.

Able to help either as a teacher or a helper?

See Father or contact [Mary Morris 0405 401 619](#)
Email m.morris@bigpond.net.au




REFRESHMENTS

RAFFLE

HOLYWINS

TRIVIA NIGHT

Fundraiser for Youth Ministry

FOR ALL AGES

SATURDAY
1ST
NOVEMBER

6:30 - 9:30 PM, HARRINGTON HALL

 COME DRESSED AS A SAINT OR IN
RED OR WHITE

REGISTER HERE 

\$20 / PERSON





10% Discount for Group Bookings

Book Launch : *Introducing Pope Leo XIV: His Story and Australian Connection.*

North Harbour Parish are promoting a special event within our Deanery: the launch of a new book by Fr Dave Austin, OSA (former parish priest of North Harbour Parish), titled *Introducing Pope Leo XIV: His Story and Australian Connection*. The book launch will take place on: **Thursday 6th November at 7pm in St Kieran's Parish Centre, Manly Vale.**

This book offers a compelling introduction to Pope Leo XIV (formerly Fr Robert Prevost, OSA), with a particular focus on his Australian connection. Some of you may recall that during his time as Prior General of the Augustinians, he visited Manly Vale on several occasions and even celebrated Mass on Collaroy Beach—memories that make this launch especially meaningful for our local community.

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SCRIPTURE READINGS

Entrance Antiphon

Let the hearts that seek the Lord rejoice;
turn to the Lord and his strength;
constantly seek his face.

First Reading

Sirach 35:12-14, 16-19

A reading from the book of Ecclesiasticus.

The Lord is a judge
who is no respecter of personages.
He shows no respect of personages to
the detriment of a poor man,
he listens to the plea of the injured
party.

He does not ignore the orphan's
supplication, nor the widow's as she
pours out her story.

The man who with his whole heart
serves God will be accepted,
his petitions will carry to the clouds.
The humble man's prayer pierces the
clouds, until it arrives he is
inconsolable, nor will he desist until
the Most High takes notice of him,
acquits the virtuous and delivers
judgement.

And the Lord will not be slow,
nor will he be dilatory on their behalf.

The Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Responsorial Psalm

Ps 33:2-3, 17-19, 23

R. The Lord hears the cry of the poor.

I will bless the Lord at all times,
his praise always on my lips;
in the Lord my soul shall make its
boast.

The humble shall hear and be glad. **R.**

The Lord turns his face against the
wicked to destroy their remembrance
from the earth.

The just call and the Lord hears
and rescues them in all their
distress. **R.**

The Lord is close to the
broken-hearted; those whose spirit is
crushed he will save.

The Lord ransoms the souls of his
servants.

Those who hide in him shall not be
condemned. **R.**

Second Reading

2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18

A reading from the second letter of St Paul to Timothy.

My life is already being poured away
as a libation, and the time has come
for me to be gone. I have fought the
good fight to the end; I have run the
race to the finish; I have kept the faith;
all there is to come now is the crown
of righteousness reserved for me,
which the Lord, the righteous judge,
will give to me on that Day; and not
only to me but to all those who have
longed for his Appearing.

The first time I had to present my
defence, there was not a single
witness to support me. Every one of
them deserted me - may they not be
held accountable for it. But the Lord
stood by me and gave me power, so
that through me the whole message
might be proclaimed for all the pagans
to hear; and so I was rescued from the
lion's mouth. The Lord will rescue me
from all evil attempts on me, and bring
me safely to his heavenly kingdom. To
him be glory for ever and ever. Amen.

The word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Acclamation

2 Corinthians 5:19

Alleluia, alleluia!

God was in Christ, to reconcile the
world to himself;
and the Good News of reconciliation
he has entrusted to us.
Alleluia!

Gospel

Luke 18:9-14

A reading from the holy Gospel
according to Luke.

Jesus spoke the following parable to
some people who prided themselves

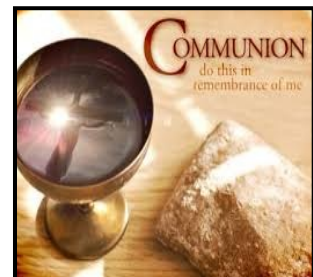
on being virtuous and despised
everyone else. 'Two men went up to
the Temple to pray, one a Pharisee,
the other a tax collector. The Pharisee
stood there and said this prayer to
himself, "I thank you, God, that I am
not grasping, unjust, adulterous like
the rest of mankind, and particularly
that I am not like this tax collector
here. I fast twice a week; I pay tithes
on all I get." The tax collector stood
some distance away, not daring even
to raise his eyes to heaven; but he
beat his breast and said, "God, be
merciful to me, a sinner." This man, I
tell you, went home again at rights
with God; the other did not. For
everyone who exalts himself will be
humbled, but the man who humbles
himself will be exalted.'

The Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Communion Antiphon

We will ring out our joy at your saving
help and exult in the name of our God.



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